









## NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship *Babelster*, Captain Pratz, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified to send in their Bills of Lading for counter signature by the Underwriter, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from the warehouse.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon to-day.

Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Hongkong & Shanghai Wharves & Godown Co., Ltd., and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 15th Inst. will be subject to sale.

All Broken, Chafed, and damaged Goods, are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 15th Instant, at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

SIEMSEN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, October 8, 1898. 1921

STEAMSHIP CALEDONIAN.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSEAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London and Havre, via S. S. *Bayard*, in connection with the above Steamers, are hereby notified that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Tobacco, and Valuable, are being landed and stored at their risk in the Godowns of the Hongkong & Shanghai Wharves & Godown Co., Ltd., at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 8 a.m. To-morrow, the 10th Inst., requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Underwriter.

Goods remaining undelivered after Saturday, the 15th Instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.

All Claims must be sent in to me on or before Saturday, the 15th October, or they will not be recognized.

All Damaged Packages will be examined on Saturday, the 15th October, at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. de CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, October 9, 1898. 1930

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMER *CANDIA*.

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, PORT SAID, SUEZ, BOMBAY AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are hereby notified that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Godowns of the Hongkong & Shanghai Wharves & Godown Co., Ltd., at Kowloon, whence each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

The Vessel brings on Cargo:-

From Italy, ex S. S. *Thames*. From Madras, ex S. S. *Lepore*. From Penang, ex S. S. *Kinta*. From Singapore, ex S. S. *Malacca*. From Java, ex S. S. *Sumatra*. From Hongkong, ex S. S. *Candia*.

Optional Goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before 4 p.m. To-day.

Goods not cleared by the 14th October, at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever.

All Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here after which no Claims will be recognized.

H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.

Hongkong, October 8, 1898. 1920

Mitani Bussan Kaisha.

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## Shipping.

Steamers.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND OCEANUTTA.

The Co.'s Steamship *Monsoon*, Captain Brindley, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 16th Instant, at 2 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON &amp; Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, October 8, 1898. 1923

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR KUDAT AND SANDAKAN.

The Co.'s Steamship *Monsoon*, Captain Brindley, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 16th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD &amp; SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, October 12, 1898. 1940

MOGUL-WARRACK-MILBURN LINE.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship *Madras*, Captain Brindley, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 16th Instant, instead of as previously advertised.S.S. *Brindley*, to sail about 30th October.S.S. *Brindley*, to sail about 20th November.S.S. *Brindley*, to sail about 20th December.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL &amp; Co., Agents.

Hongkong, October 6, 1898. 1600

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship *Monsoon*, Captain Brindley, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 18th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD &amp; SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, October 8, 1898. 1919

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, (UNDER MAIL CONTRACT WITH THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT.)

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.

The Co.'s Steamship *Monsoon*, Captain Brindley, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 19th Instant, in the FORENOON.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SANDER, WEBER &amp; Co., Agents.

Hongkong, October 11, 1898. 1930

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY &amp; MELBOURNE.

The Co.'s Steamship *Monsoon*, Captain Brindley, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 20th Instant, at Noon.

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Hongkong, October 10, 1898. 1931

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship *Madras*, Captain Brindley, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 16th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SHEWAN, TOMES &amp; Co., Agents.

Hongkong, October 8, 1898. 1925

UNITED STATES AND CHINA—JAPAN STEAMSHIP LINE.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

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For Freight and further Particulars, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON &amp; Co., Agents.

Hongkong, October 7, 1898. 1917

Sailing Vessels.

FOR NEW YORK.

The 3/8 A.L.I. American Ship *Governor Rubin*, B. T. Colson, Master, will have quick despatch.The 3/8 A.L.I. American Ship *Mary L. Colson*, Master, will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to SIEMSEN &amp; Co.

Hongkong, September 24, 1898. 1810

FOR NEW YORK.

The 3/8 A.L.I. American barque *Adolph Olin*, Captain Ambury, is ready to take Cargo for above Port and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to ARNOLD, KARBBERG &amp; Co.

Hongkong, September 6, 1898. 1897

Shipping.

Steamers.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY &amp; FOOSHOW.

The Co.'s Steamship *Thames*, Captain Bathurst, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 14th Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAIRRAK &amp; Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, October 11, 1898. 1940

FOR SHANGHAI.

The Steamship *Thames*, Captain Bathurst, will be despatched for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 14th Instant, at 4 p.m.

This Steamer has superior Accommodation for First and Second Class Passengers.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSEN &amp; Co.

Hongkong, October 11, 1898. 1938

FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

The Co.'s Steamship *Nippon Maru*, Captain Brindley, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 15th Instant, at 5 p.m.

This Steamer has superior Accommodation for Passengers, and is fitted with the Electric Light.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SHEWAN, TOMES &amp; Co., Agents.

Hongkong, October 11, 1898. 1942

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA.

The Co.'s Steamship *Monsoon*, Captain Brindley, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 17th Instant, at 4 p.m.

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Hongkong, October 13, 1898. 1935

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Hongkong, October 8, 1898. 1663

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF  
HONGKONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

In the Goods of HAJEE MAHOMED  
AKAB, late of Victoria, in the  
Colony of Hongkong, a Minor,  
Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour  
the Chief Justice has, in virtue of  
Section 58 of Ordinance No. 3 of 1897, made  
an Order limiting to the 1st day of  
December, 1898, as the time for Creditors  
to send in their CLAIMS Against the  
Estate of HAJEE MAHOMED AKAB, late of  
Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, a  
Minor, who died on the 22nd day of  
February, 1896, at Victoria aforesaid, in-  
state, and Letters of Administration, of  
whose personal Estate and Effects were  
granted by the Supreme Court of Hong-  
kong, in its Probate Jurisdiction on the  
18th day of August, 1897, to ABDOLLA  
POORAKA of Victoria aforesaid, Contractor  
(the Administrator of the Estate of the said  
HAJEE MAHOMED AKAB deceased.

Notice is also given that all such CLAIMS  
are to be sent in in writing to the Under-  
signed prior to the said 1st day of Decem-  
ber, 1898, or No Notice will be taken of  
them.

All Persons indebted to the above Estate  
are requested to make immediate Payment to  
the Underigned.

Dated this 11th day of August, 1898.  
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Solicitors for the said  
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Hongkong, October 8, 1898. 1866

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF  
CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-  
Fifth Ordinary Yearly MEETING  
of the Society will be held at the  
Canton, No. 1, The Prince, Hongkong, on  
THURSDAY, the 30th October, 1898, at  
10 o'clock, for the purpose of receiving the  
Report of the Directors together with  
Statements of Accounts for the year 1897  
and for the half year ending the 30th June,  
1898, and of Dividing DIVIDENDS.  
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society  
will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 20th  
October, both days inclusive.  
By Order of the Board,  
W. J. SANDERS,  
General Secretary.

Hongkong, September 24, 1898. 1893

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Hongkong, September 25, 1898.

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FOR SHANGHAI, CHINA, E. STREET, About 14th October.

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YOKOHAMA, \* \* \* \* \* E. P. BISHOP, 3 p.m., 15th October.

LONDON, \* \* \* \* \* A. G. CURRIE, 8 p.m., About 20th October.

\* See Special Advertisement.

For Freight or Passage, and further Particulars, apply to

H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,  
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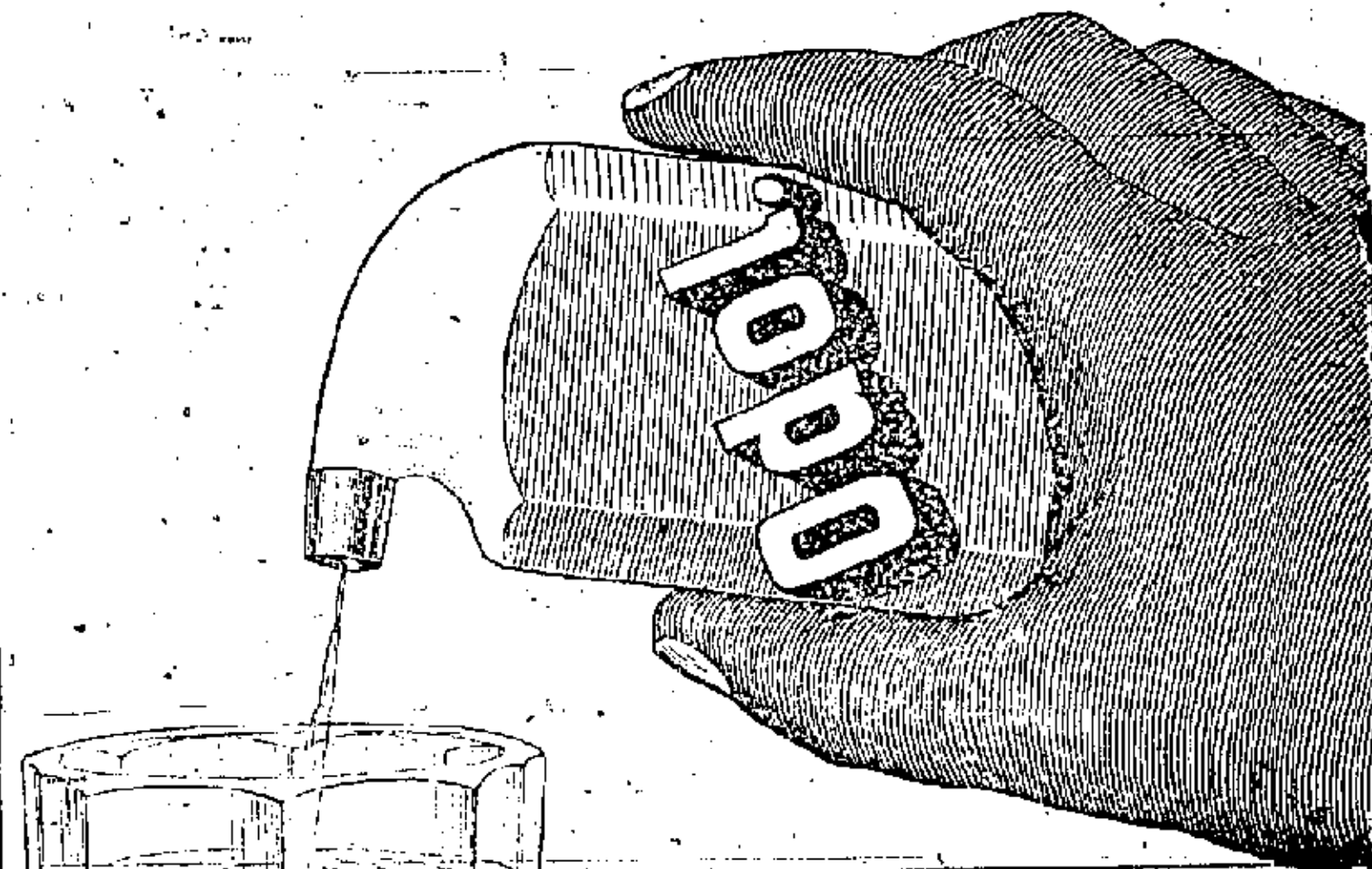
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W. HUTTON POTTS,  
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